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Soldier Creek and Banning



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Inspection Report

Permit Number: C0070018
Inspection Type: COMPLETE
Inspection Date: Monday, August 29, 2011
Start Date/Time: 8/29/2011 10:00:00 AM
End Date/Time: 8/29/2011 2:00:00 PM
Last Inspection: Thursday, May 19, 2011

Inspector: Steve Demczak

Weather: Sunny, Upper 80's

InspectionID Report Number: 2851

Accepted by: jheffric

9/14/2011

Permitee: CANYON FUEL COMPANY

Operator: CANYON FUEL COMPANY

Site: SOLDIER CANYON MINE

Address: PO BOX 1029, WELLINGTON UT 84542

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages

6,624.64	Total Permitted
24.32	Total Disturbed
	Phase I
	Phase II
	Phase III

Mineral Ownership

- ☒ Federal
☒ State
☐ County
☐ Fee
☐ Other

Types of Operations

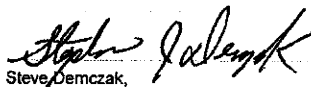
- ☒ Underground
☐ Surface
☐ Loadout
☐ Processing
☐ Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Permit Condition: Canyon Fuel Company has just one permit condition for the Soldier Canyon Mine; to submit water quality data in an electronic format through the Electronic Data Input web site.

Permitting Actions: None

Inspector's Signature:


Steve Demczak,

Inspector ID Number: 39

Date Wednesday, August 31, 2011



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3. Topsoil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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5. Explosives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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10. Slides and Other Damage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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15. Cessation of Operations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

No permitting action is currently being processed with the Division for Soldier Creek Mine. The permit will expire on Feb. 12, 2012. The SPCC plan was last inspected on December 3, 2007. The UPDES permit will expire on April 31, 2013.

2. Signs and Markers

The identification sign was on the side of the main road overlooking the sediment pond. The information addressed the requirements of the R645 Coal Rules.

3. Topsoil

The topsoil piles are located below the mine. There were no signs of wind or water erosion.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

Diversions were opened and functioning as designed.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

Sediment pond contained a small amount of water. It is unlikely to discharge in the near future. I inspected the sediment pond and did not see any hazardous conditions. The permittee inspected the pond on April 19, 2011. There were no hazardous conditions reported.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

The water data was submitted to the Division. The site had met requirements for taking water samples in high flow year.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

No discharge for the second quarter.

8. Noncoal Waste

The site was clear of non-coal waste material.

10. Slides and Other Damage

No slides or other damage was noticed during the inspection.

15. Cessation of Operations

No activity is taking place at mine site.

16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing

It is still functioning but the concrete is breaking up.

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16.b Roads: Drainage Controls

Diversions are functioning as designed.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

There are no new facilities.

19. AVS Check

AVS checks are made in SLC.

20. Air Quality Permit

The Air Quality Permit is DAQE-334-94.

21. Bonding and Insurance

The insurance policy will expire on July 31, 2012. The bonding amount is \$1,593,000.



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Accepted by: jhelfric

9/14/2011

Permittee: BANNING

Operator: CANYON FUEL COMPANY

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Inspector's Signature:

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1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

There are no permitting actions with the Division. The permit will expire on 11/24/2013. The SPCC Plan was reviewed on December 3, 2007.

2. Signs and Markers

The identification signs is at the gate to the property.

3. Topsoil

No topsoil piles. This is a pre-law disturbance.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

Diversions and culverts were opened.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

I inspected the sediment pond and did not see any hazardous conditions. The permittee inspected the sediment pond on April 21, 2011. No hazardous conditions were reported. The pond contained little to no water.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

The water monitoring data was sent to SLC.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

No discharge for the second quarter.

8. Noncoal Waste

The disturb area was clear of non-coal waste materials.

15. Cessation of Operations

The loadout has all the building, conveyors and loadout ripped down. This site should be reclaimed.

16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing

The asphalt road is starting to break up.

16.b Roads: Drainage Controls

The drainage controls are functioning as designed.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

No new facilities have been installed.

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19. AVS Check

The AVS checks are made in SLC.

20. Air Quality Permit

Air Quality Permit number is 533-6108.

21. Bonding and Insurance

The insurance policy will expire on July 31, 2012. The bonding amount is \$350,000.